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## CSWC Operational Period Summary

### 0600 July 23 2018 to 1800 July 23 2018



The Country Fire, Milpitas, Santa Clara County, is now 320 acres, 80% contained.

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## National Terrorism Advisory System



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72 Hour STAC Report

- Report Attached

# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **Cal OES Activation Status**

<b>State Operations Center</b>	<b>Inland Region EOC</b>	<b>Coastal Region EOC</b>	<b>Southern Region EOC</b>
<b>Normal Operations</b>	<b>Normal Operations</b>	<b>Normal Operations</b>	<b>Normal Operations</b>

### **Phase II Activation of the Heat Contingency Plan**

Phase II actions of the California Heat Contingency Plan have been activated as of 07/23/18. These actions are taken as a result of the issuance of a Special Weather Statement by the National Weather Service predicting an Excessive Heat Warning for an Operational Area or power outages during warmer-than-normal weather conditions.

- An Excessive Heat Warning remains in effect for much of Southern California through Thursday evening with record high temperatures with very poor overnight recovery.
- Heat impacts (illnesses, dehydration) will be felt by the entire population outside, and sensitive groups are at an extreme risk for health heat impacts.
- In addition to the Excessive Heat Warnings, Heat Advisories are in effect for surrounding areas through the Central Valley. Sensitive groups should be closely monitored for heat related illnesses.
- There is a high risk for explosive fire spread, especially across Santa Barbara county with sundowner winds, starting Tuesday. A Red Flag Warning is in effect.
- The Inland and Southern Region Emergency Operations Centers (REOCs) will activate at Level 3 on 07/24/18 at 0800 hours.
- See attached Southern Region OA Heat Related Activity Poll

### **Heat Event**

The California State Warning Center (CSWC) continues to closely monitor the heat event with the National Weather Service (NWS), and California ISO (CAL ISO). A conference call will be held [07/24/18 at 1100 hours](#), to discuss the current weather forecast and the current Heat Contingency Plan. CAL ISO will also provide a briefing.

- See attached Cal OES Heat Briefing.

### **Cal OES INLAND REGION**

- See Fire Activity Slides.

### **Cal OES COASTAL REGION**

- See Fire Activity Slides.

# SITUATION SUMMARY

## Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION

### State Route (SR) 168 Closure Due to Rock/Mudslide, Inyo County (Final)

On 07/22/18 at 2002 hours, the California State Warning Center (CSWC) received information from the National Weather Service, Las Vegas Forecast Office that a rock/mudslide had occurred to SR-168, south of Aspendell in Inyo County. Upon follow-up by the CSWC with NWS, Las Vegas, it was learned that at 1441 hours the afternoon of 07/22/18, a rock/mudslide had blocked SR-168 and access to North Lake and Sabrina Lake in the area, causing people to become stranded. Per CalTrans, SR 168 is closed 16 miles west of Bishop at Sage Rds. The estimated time of reopening is 07/24/18.

Per Cal OES Duty Officers:

- 38 adults, 10 children and 4 dogs sheltered in place overnight, 07/22/18 to 07/23/18.
- The Inyo County Sheriff's Department Search and Rescue (SAR) coordinated the evacuation process with the Inyo County Roads Department and CalTrans.
- The roadway covered with debris -100 yards long, 40 feet tall.
- Inyo County Road Department worked with CalTrans to clear debris.
- The Inyo Sheriff's Office is working on aerial recon to provide responders with better situational awareness.

Per the Cal OES Law Duty Officer (LDO) as of 07/23/18 at 1620 hours:

- Inyo County Sheriff's Officer was successful in excavating Hwy 168 enough to get 4X4 vehicles to evacuate Lake Sabrina.
- All stranded subjects have been evacuated from Lake Sabrina.
- Hwy 168 continues to be closed do to another slide after the rescue.
- There are no requests for assistance or unmet needs.

# **FIRE ACTIVITY**

Cal OES Fire Preparedness Levels		
National	Northern California	Southern California
Preparedness Level 4	Preparedness Level 3	Preparedness Level 3
	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 3	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2

Please note: The National and Regional Preparedness Levels are maintained by the National Multi-Agency Coordination (MAC) Group and are separate from Cal OES activation levels.

## **INLAND REGION**

### **Ferguson, Vegetation Fire, Mariposa County**

Location: Hwy. 140 x Hite Cove, Near El Portal

Jurisdiction: Federal DPA, FRA, Madera-Mariposa-Merced Unit/Sierra National Forest

Start Date/Time: 07/13/18 at 2035 hours

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of **07/23/18 at 1754 hours:**

- **36,102 acres, 16% contained**
- Expected containment: 07/31/18
- Threatened structures: 3,446 single residences, 3 nonresidential commercial properties, 35 other minor structures
- Destroyed: 1 other minor structure
- CA Fed IMT4, Cal Fire Team, Mariposa County Sheriff
- Active fire behavior with uphill runs, backing and spotting
- Continued Structure threat
- Steep terrain with limited access
- 1 Firefighter fatality

### **Activations**

- Inland Region Regional Emergency Operations Center (REOC) activated at Level 3, Duty Officer status (lowest level), operational period 0700-1900 hours.
- Mariposa County Emergency Operations Center (EOC) activated at Level 2, operational period 0700-1900 hours.

# **FIRE ACTIVITY**

## **INLAND REGION (Continued)**

### **Ferguson, Vegetation Fire, Mariposa County (Continued)**

#### **Deployments**

- 3 Cal OES Fire and Rescue Branch Assistant Chiefs and 1 Mechanic assigned
- 1 Cal OES Inland Region ESC to the Mariposa County EOC
- 1 Cal OES Law Enforcement Branch Assistant Chief (Monitoring)
- 2 Cal OES Public Safety Communications Technicians

#### **Proclamations**

- On 07/15/18, Mariposa County submitted a Proclamation of Local Emergency. The county is requesting CDAA to assist with recovery efforts. On 07/19/18, Mariposa County submitted the Ratified Proclamation.

#### **Evacuations**

Per the Cal OES Law Enforcement Duty Officer (LDO) as of 07/22/18 at 1616 hours:

- Mandatory evacuations have been ordered for:
- Jerseydale area, which includes all residences on Jerseydale Rd., Hites Cove Rd., and all side roads from Triangle Rd. to the end of Hites Cove Rd.
- Incline Rd. from Clearing House to the Foresta Bridge.
- El Portal Trailer Park at Hwy. 140 and Trailer Ct., El Portal
- Old El Portal, Rancheria Flat-Government Housing, Foresta, Yosemite View Lodge
- Yosemite West, Anderson Valley
- Old Yosemite Rd.

#### **Shelter**

- American Red Cross (ARC), New Life Christian Fellowship, 5089 Cole Rd., Mariposa
  - Midnight shelter count: 12 (9 inside/3 outside)

#### **Animal Shelter**

- Small Animal Shelter: SPCA of Mariposa County, 5599 CA-49, Mariposa
- Large Animal Shelters:
  - Mariposa County Fairgrounds, 5007 Fairgrounds Rd., Mariposa
  - Coarsegold Rodeo Grounds: 44777 Rodeo Grounds Ln., Coarsegold (standby status)

# **FIRE ACTIVITY**

## **INLAND REGION (Continued)**

### **Ferguson, Vegetation Fire, Mariposa County (Continued)**

#### **Road Closure**

- SR 140 is closed between Midpines and Yosemite National Park Boundary
- Signs in the park indicate Hwy 140 at Hwy 120 will be closing
- WB Hwy 140 at the Mariposa County Line

#### **Critical Infrastructure**

Per CUEA as of 07/23/18 at 0752 hours:

- PG&E reported 54 customers are out of service in the El Portal area due to the fire.
- Mariposa Pines area (on the Southwest side of the fire) has been de-energized
- Power outage in the communities of Jerseystale and Mariposa Pine (168 customers).

#### **Health and Medical**

- Mariposa County Human Services has set up a dedicated line for residents with Access and Functional Needs (AFN) who may need assistance in evacuating. Toll free number is 1-833-423-0816.
- County Human Services has distributed information on how residents can construct do-it-yourself air scrubbers consisting of a box fan and an air conditioner filter. For some populations, Human Services are providing the kit and constructing/installing them.
- County Mass Care and Shelter Team stood up a rostered Evacuation Team available for deployment in the event that an evacuation occurs in an area where AFN individuals are affected. They maintain a database and have contacted those individuals.
- Due to hazardous air qualities in and around Yosemite National Park, County Environmental Health is supporting the closure of the park to visitors, not to employees. County Environmental Health and County Human Services, in conjunction with ARC, are planning to open a clean-air shelter for park employees and for visitors transitioning out of the park (planned for day use only). These actions are tentatively planned for Tuesday, 07/24/18. This is not considered an evacuation due to fire activity.
- Due to the extended outlook for hazardous air quality, Cal OES ESC coordinated with Madera and Merced Counties to stock up Mariposa with N95 masks (630 adult and 200 pediatric masks).

#### **Missions**

- 2018-IREOC-48201: See Cal OES Mission Tasking Slide

#### **Law Enforcement**

- 10 Law Enforcement Mutual Aid (LEMA) officers for the current operational period and 10 officers for overnight operations.
- 3 CHP officers assigned to fire related duties



# **FIRE ACTIVITY**

## **INLAND REGION (Continued)**

### **Ferguson, Vegetation Fire, Mariposa County (Continued)**

#### **Recovery**

- Regional Summary and Initial Damage Estimates inputted into Cal EOC.
- The County Administrator's Office has taken the lead for recovery and is in the process of updating their recovery website. Currently, this mainly focuses on processes for cleaning out spoiled food from extended power outages.
- Repopulation planning has begun. However, the Incident Management Team (IMT) estimates only some repopulation may be able to occur after a few more operational periods; possibly by the end of the week. The American Red Cross (ARC), County Human Services, Food Bank, and County Public Works have teamed up to provide dumpsters for spoiled food, some initial provisions (food and water), and cleaning supplies to returning residents.

### **Carr, Vegetation Fire, Shasta County**

Location: Hwy 299 x Carr Powerhouse Rd, Whiskeytown

Jurisdiction: Federal, FRA, Whiskeytown National Park

Start/Date Time: 07/23/18 at 1316

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 07/23/18 at 1807 hours:

- 1,500 acres, brush and timber, 0% contained
- Threatened Structures: 180 single residences, 12 non-residential commercial properties
- Mandatory evacuation to the community of French Gulch
- Hwy 299 closed in both directions
- 115kv powerlines threatened
- Unified Command CAL FIRE and Whiskeytown National Park

#### **Activations**

- Shasta County EOC is activated at Level 1 (Duty Officer)

#### **Deployments**

- 1 Cal OES Fire and Rescue Branch Assistant Chief

#### **Federal Management Assistance Grant (FMAG)**

- On 07/23/18 at 1711 hours an FMAG request was received from the Incident. The FMAG has been approved for forwarding to FEMA.

#### **Evacuations**

- Mandatory: French Gulch; Unknown number of persons

#### **Road Closures**

- Hwy 299, Trinity and Shasta Counties, Douglas City, is closed from the east of the Junction of SR 3 to 15.2 miles west of Redding at Carr Powerhouse Rd.



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# **FIRE ACTIVITY**

## **INLAND REGION (Continued)**

### **Carr, Vegetation Fire, Shasta County (Continued)**

#### **Evacuation Shelters**

- Weaverville Elementary, 31020 CA3, Weaverville
  - Midnight shelter count: TBD

#### **Critical Infrastructure**

Per CUEA as of 07/23/18 at 1506 hours:

- 323 PG&E customers are without power.
- 66KV and 115 KV lines are threatened.

## **COASTAL REGION**

### **Country, Vegetation Fire, Santa Clara County**

Location: County Club Rd X N Park Victoria Rd, Milpitas

Jurisdiction: State DPA, SRA, Santa Clara Unit

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 07/23/18 at 1728 hours:

- 320 acres grass, 80% contained
- Threatened Structures: 2 single residences
- Destroyed Structures: 1 other minor structure
- South Bay Type III IMT assigned

#### **Activations**

- The City of Milpitas is activated at Level 3 (lowest level)

#### **Evacuations**

Per the LDO as of 1655 hours, Santa Clara County Sheriff's Office reported four homes were evacuated on Weller Rd.

#### **Road Closures**

- Weller Rd. at Calavaras Rd.

#### **Critical Infrastructure**

Per CUEA as of 07/22/18 at 1519 hours:

- PG&E reports no impact to distribution lines.

# MAJOR ROAD / HIGHWAY / BRIDGE CLOSURES

Major Road Closures		
Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures

## Lifeline Routes

- There are no Lifeline Route closures.

## Non-Lifeline Routes:

- A portion of SR 168 remains closed due to a rock/mudslide. The estimated time of reopening is unknown.

## Wildfire Closures:

- See Fire Activity Slides.

## Emergency Center Activations:

- There are no Emergency Center Activations.

## Interactive Travel Forecast Map Based on Weather Conditions Provided by National Weather Service (Prototype)

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/wrh/travel/?wfo=mtr>



Click on the Caltrans Logo to check  
current highway conditions.  
You can also call 1-800-427-7623 for  
current highway conditions.



## California 911 System

CA 911 Outages		
Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages

### 911 Outages/Remote/Community Isolations:

- None reported.

### Service Interruptions:

- None reported.

# WEATHER OF CONCERN

## Weather of Concern

### **Northern California:**

- Hotter weather returns this week, peaking Wed/Thu. Potential for an isolated afternoon shower or thunderstorm in the mountains continues into Tuesday.

### **Southern California:**

- Hot weather for the region through Thursday. The extended heat wave will bring the hottest days on Tuesday and Wednesday. The lower deserts will reach around 120, and hottest parts of the Inland Empire will exceed 110 and over 105 for inland San Diego County valleys. Only the immediate coast and highest mountains will be mild.
- **Weather Advisories, Watches, and Warnings currently active in California:**
- <http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca>

### **Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:**

- <http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca&bycounty=1>

# WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION

## **NORTHERN CALIFORNIA**

**\*\*\* High Risk in the NW Mtns, Northeast CA, Northern Sierra and the northern end of the Far Eastside Tuesday Due to Lightning \*\*\***

Moist unstable monsoon air in the region will lead to more afternoon and evening showers and thunderstorms Tuesday. The main focus will be in the Far Eastside, Northern Sierra, Northeast CA, and NW Mtns. Thunderstorms SE of Susanville have been producing heavy rainfall, and any storms there will continue to be very wet, so the potential of new large fires there is low for the next few days. Areas to the north and west of Susanville still have a higher potential of new large fires due to lightning ignitions and less rainfall expected. Isolated convective activity is possible in nearby valleys and in the Mendocino NF as well. Storms SE of Susanville can produce an inch or more of rainfall in a short period.

Thunderstorms elsewhere will produce rainfall - a direct hit can yield 0.25-0.75 inches of rainfall. Outflow winds from thunderstorms could gust to 40 mph.

High pressure is building over the region from the south, and areas not affected by convective activity will have a warming trend through Wednesday or Thursday then only a gradual drop off into next weekend. Temperatures will increase to 6-12 degrees above normal Tue-Fri. Wednesday through Sunday will also be dry in all areas with only a few afternoon clouds over the higher peaks. Coastal areas will be under the influence of a shallow marine layer and a light onshore flow this week.

## **SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA**

**\*\*\*Scattered wet thunderstorms mainly over the Sierra and Northern Deserts through Tuesday\*\*\***

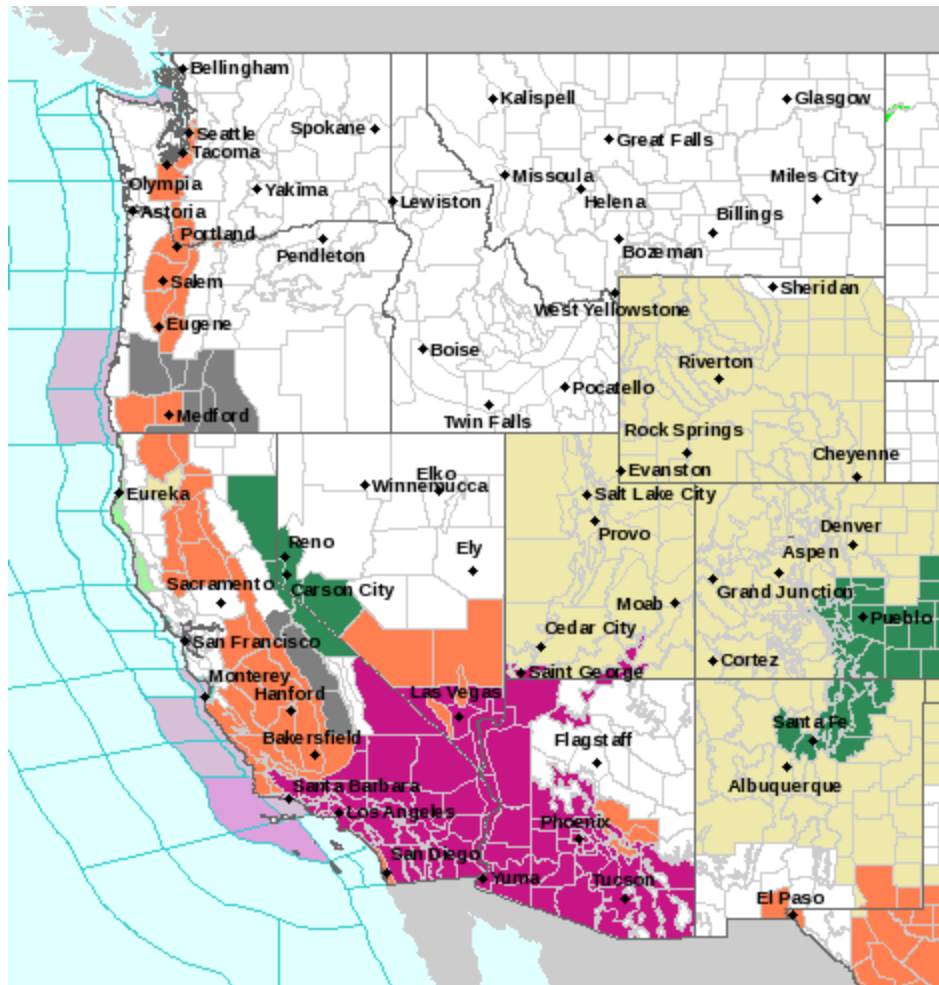
**\*\*\*Gusty nighttime north winds over Santa Barbara County and the Grapevine through Thursday\*\*\***

**\*\*\*Hot through Friday along with very low humidity starting Wednesday\*\*\***

Scattered afternoon showers and thunderstorms will form over the Sierra Crest and Northern Deserts through Tuesday as southerly flow aloft continues between high pressure to the east and low pressure to the west. A few afternoon showers and thunderstorms will also be possible over the mountains and higher desert locations of Southern California through Tuesday. There will be gusty northerly winds of 15 to 25 mph with gusts to 40 mph during the nighttime hours across Santa Barbara County and the Grapevine through Thursday. Strong high pressure over the Southwestern States will cause temperatures to be 10 to 15 degrees above normal through Friday, with mid 80s to mid 90s across the mountains and upper 90s to 110 in the valleys. Minimum humidity will be mainly between 15% and 30% away from the coast through Tuesday and then drop into the single digits and teens Wednesday through Friday. High pressure will move north and become centered over the Great Basin this weekend bringing a little cooler temperatures and an increase in humidity to the region. Isolated to scattered afternoon showers and thunderstorms will be possible across the mountains and deserts of Southern California starting Saturday and over the Sierra and Northern Deserts starting Sunday.



# WEATHER MAP



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# Cal OES LAW ENFORCEMENT MISSIONS

## Cal OES Law Missions

- Nothing Significant to Report.



# Cal OES MISSION TASKING

## Cal OES Missions

- **2018-Coastal-48555:** 1 Air Monitor for Humboldt County due to wildfire smoke. (Coordinating)
- **2018-IREOC-48516:** 2018 July Statewide Wildfires – 1 air monitor for El Dorado County due to impacts in South Lake Tahoe from the Northern CA fires (Coordinating)
- **2018-IREOC-48201:** Mariposa – Ferguson - 5 portable air quality monitors for the Ferguson Incident. (On Scene)
- **2018-FIRE-47927:** 2018 July Statewide Wildfires – 1 CNG MEDEVAC Type I rotary wing helicopter with rescue hoist capabilities assigned to support aerial firefighting operations in the State of California (On Scene)
- **2018-IREOC-47791:** 2018 June Inland Fires - 2 portable air quality monitors were requested; one to be located at the Esparto Community Services District facility, 26490 Woodland Ave., Esparto, and one to be located at the fenced well site, 501 E. Main St., Winters. (On Scene)
- **2018-FIRE-47755:** 1 CNG remotely piloted MQ-9 or RC-26 fixed wing aircraft with persistent infrared imagery and perimeter mapping capabilities to support aerial firefighting operations in the State of California. Weather and conditions will dictate which platform will be utilized to support the requested mission. (On Scene)
- **2018-FIRE-47611:** CNG medevac helicopter with night vision to be positioned at Mather. (On Scene)
- **2018-IREOC-45244:** Caltrans to remove dead and dying trees along highways in Kern, Tulare, Fresno, Madera, Mariposa, Tuolumne, Calaveras, Butte, Plumas, Sierra, Shasta, and Lassen counties. (On Scene – Long-term assignment)
- **2017-SOC-44098:** 2017 December Wildfires - CalRecycle Debris Management Team in Ventura County. (Coordinating)
- **2017-Inland-42559:** Weather station installed to gather real time rainfall data by Air Resources Control Board (ARB). (On Scene)



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